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Application No. : 10/624,519 Confirmation No.: 7440  
Applicant : Sanjay KOTHA et al.  
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Title : MAGNETIC FLUID CUSHIONING DEVICE FOR A  
FOOTWEAR OR SHOE  
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Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56 and MPEP § 724, Applicants direct the attention of  
the Examiner to the following co-pending applications, copies of which are enclosed.

1. S.N. 10/383,779 - Filed: March 10, 2003  
Entitled: METHOD AND AIRBAG INFLATION APPARATUS  
EMPLOYING MAGNETIC FLUID

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- 2. S.N. 10/681,899 - Filed: October 10, 2003  
Entitled: METHOD AND KIT FOR INDUCING HYPOXIA IN TUMORS THROUGH THE USE OF A MAGNETIC FIELD
- 3. S.N. 10/440,112 - Filed: May 19, 2003  
Entitled: MAGNETIC FLUID POWER GENERATOR DEVICE AND METHOD FOR GENERATING POWER

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Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the foregoing information and provide in the next official communication the information set forth in MPEP § 724.04(a), particularly the information under item (D), so that the Applicants can, if appropriate, subsequently file a petition to expunge those materials, as provided according to MPEP § 724.05.

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